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Code, which is incorporated by reference. See §113.44, Vessel Requirements, and §113.46, Cargo Requirements.

- (b) Any cask or container containing radioactive substances, together with any attachments thereto, may not weigh more than 150 tons.
- (c) For the purpose of approval of shipments and prior notification of radioactive substances under the IMDG Code, Panama Canal waters will be considered a country en route. Notification shall be given to Canal authorities 30 days in advance of the arrival of the vessel in Canal waters for all fissionable materials, in order that approval may be given by the Marine Safety Advisor, or his designee, to transit such cargoes.
- (d) Vessels carrying nuclear materials shall be required to provide current proof of financial responsibility and adequate provision for indemnity covering public liability and loss to the United States or any agency thereof, comparable in general scope to the protection afforded under section 170 of the United States Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, 68 Stat. 919, 71 Stat. 576, or consistent with international practice and standards as set forth by the Treaty Concerning the Permanent Neutrality and Operation of the Panama Canal. Vessels shall also be required to furnish the Commission with the results of cargo radiation survey reports in accordance with the standards in IMO class 7.
- (e) For the following radioactive substances, not less than 48-hour advance information required under §123.4 shall be provided, indicating the specifics required by the IMDG Code:
- (1) Low Specific Activity Substances or Low Level Solid Radioactive Substances as specified in Class 7 schedules 5, 6, and 7 of the IMDG Code.
- (2) Radioactive Substances carried in limited quantities as specified in Class 7 schedules 1, 2, 3, and 4 of the IMDG Code.

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PART 115—BOARD OF LOCAL IN-SPECTORS: COMPOSITION AND FUNCTIONS

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§115.1 Board of Local Inspectors.

There is hereby continued the Board of Local Inspectors of the Panama Canal Commission, constituted as provided in §115.2, which shall perform, conduct and execute—

- (a) The investigations called for by 22 U.S.C. 3778;
- (b) The functions and responsibilities with which it is vested by this part and by parts 117 and 119 of this chapter; and
- (c) Such other duties in matters of a marine character as it may be assigned from time to time by the Administrator.

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§115.2 Compostion of the Board.

- (a) The Board of Local Inspectors, referred to in this part as "the Board," shall, except as otherwise provided in paragraph (b) of this section, consist of the following officials who shall serve in the capacities stated:
- (1) Chairman, Board of Local Inspectors.
- (2) Canal Operations Captain, as member.
- (3) Senior Canal Port Captain, as member.
- (b) In the absence of the Chairman, or where the subject matter or circumstances of a particular accident warrant such action, the Maritime Operations Director may designate an alternate to replace any official regularly serving on the Board.
- (c) Any accident investigation or other proceeding may, in the discretion of the Chairman, be conducted by one